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In re Application of: ISHIHARA et al

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For: IC CARD APPARATUS HAVING PATTERNED INSULATING  
LAYER FORMED BETWEEN GATE INSULATING FILM AND  
SEMICONDUCTOR LAYER EXCEPT FOR CHANNEL REGION  
AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURE (AS AMENDED)

Prior Art Unit: 2871

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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT  
UNDER 37 CFR 1.97 AND 1.98**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Pursuant to Applicants' duty of disclosure, enclosed please find a List, on a form substantially equivalent to Form PTO-1449, of documents cited in connection with prior applications of the above-identified application, that is, Application No. 09/526,557, filed March 16, 2000, and Application No. 09/949,091, filed September 10, 2001.

Since Application No. 09/526,557 and Application No. 09/949,091 are relied upon in the above-identified application under 35 USC 120, copies of the listed documents are not enclosed. See 37 CFR 1.98(d).

This Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted concurrently with the filing of the above-identified application. Clearly, requirements of 37 CFR1.97(b) are satisfied.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that all applicable requirements of 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98 have been satisfied, in connection with present filing of the enclosed List. Accordingly, consideration of the listed documents, upon examination of the above-identified application, is respectfully requested.

To the extent necessary, Applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to the Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (Case No. 503.38289CC2) and please credit any excess fees to such Deposit Account.

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